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May 20, 2003

Marlene H. Dortch
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 - 12th Street, NW
Washington, DC 20554

RE: CC Docket No. 96-45
Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support - ICLS
Annual Certification Filing

Dear Ms. Dortch:

This is to certify that Rochester Telephone Co, Inc., will use its Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support - ICLS only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of the company named above. This certification is provided for all study areas under the common control of the company, and which are listed below.

Signed:

Tami R. Paulik

Date: 5-20-03

Tami R. Paulik
Secretary-Treasurer

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<u>Company Name</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Study Area No.</u>
Rochester Telephone Co., Inc.	Indiana	32-0815